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The Honorable Benson E. Legg
United States District Court
for the District of Maryland
Third Floor, Room 340
101 W. Lombard Street
Baltimore, MD 21201

RE: In the Matter of the Complaint of
Eternity Shipping Ltd., et al.
For Exoneration from or Limitation of Liability
Civil Action #: L-01-CV-0250

Dear Judge Legg:

On April 8, 2002, claimant Tate & Lyle filed a motion for leave to file third party complaint against the American Bureau of Shipping. As I stated in the motion, none of the parties object to the filing of the third party complaint so that there would be no opposition to our motion.

We would respectfully request that the Court grant this motion so that we can serve the third party defendant and not cause any unnecessary delay in the scheduling of depositions in this case.

Thank you for your consideration in this regard.

Very truly yours,

James D. Skeen

JDS/kf
Enclosure

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⊗ MOTION GRANTED, May 5, 2002
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